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1. SEARCH OF 1970 FILES REVEALS LITTLE DATA USEFUL FOR
1975. SPARSE INFORMATION SUGGESTS US AND
NATO ALLIES DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN ANY 1970 CEREMONIES.

2. DATA AVAILABLE INDICATES EARLIER CELEBRATION WAS SUB-
DUE IN TONE. ONLY CURSORY TREATMENT GIVEN TO EVENT ITSELF,
WHICH WAS USED PRIMARILY AS TAKEOFF FOR 1) OBEISANCE TO USSR
AND 2) PROPAGANDA TIRADE AGAINST US "AGRESSIVE IMPERIALISM".

3. CONCUR IN SUGGESTION THAT APPROACH TO MFA STRESS EAST-
WEST COOPERATION AND DETENTE THEMES.

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